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By Ms. Story of Amherst, petition of Ellen Story and others for legislation to provide for pre-registration of voters upon turning seventeen years of age. Election Laws.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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### PETITION OF:

Ellen Story	Cory Atkins
J. James Marzilli, Jr.	Thomas M. Stanley
Benjamin Swan	

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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO PRE-REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 Section 47A of chapter 51 of the General Laws, as appearing in  
2 the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting at the  
3 end thereof the following:— A person who is otherwise qualified  
4 may pre-register on or after that person's sixteen and a half  
5 birthday and may vote in any election occurring on or after that  
6 person's eighteenth birthday.